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		4,240,944	12/80	Temple				
		4,283,322	8/81	Temple				
		4,507,430	3/85	Shimada et al.				
		4,728,573	3/88	Temple				
		5,004,784	4/91	Huynh-Ba				
		5,389,440	2/95	Arpin et al.				
		5,430,093	7/95	Miyamoto et al.				
		6,008,286	12/99	Groves				
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llc		WO 02/36654 A2	5/02	WO	X	X	X	
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